



## The Magic of Christmas

When the bells tinkle and the white snow fills the air on the dawn of Christmas day, the whole world suspends work during the universal reign of Peace, Happiness and Good Will.

Make the most of Christmas. Fill it up with practical, useful gifts that gladden hearts and bring joy to your family and friends. Joyous Christmas need not be a costly day. Little things—thoughtfully chosen, crown it with happiness that far outlasts the year.

We are now prepared for the busiest Christmas in the history of this store. Every indication points to a great demand for furniture as Christmas gifts. Fortunately we have gathered the largest and most complete line of holiday furniture and home furnishings ever brought to this city. We can therefore safely promise complete satisfaction for all coming here for Christmas gift things.

From end to end and from top to bottom this store is crowded with the most attractive of the latest offerings in the line of home furnishings. No matter what may be the amount you have reserved for the purpose of buying holiday goods, we feel certain of our ability to give you the most value for that sum.

## Framed Pictures

We are showing some very good specials in Framed Pictures at 30c, 35c, 60c and \$1.00. Something new, just in. See them in our windows.

A 5x7 postcard-size Frame in Gilt, Light and Dark Oak, Mission with square and oval mats with glass, 15c each, with 10c extra if we fit the picture.

**B. W. Hooker & Co.**  
Vermont's Largest House Furnishers

## Don't Get Left On These Big Specials

We have gone through our stock and selected these goods listed below and have made a big cut to close them out, and the first here, first served. Only a few left, so don't be too late.

- 1 lot of \$1.00 and \$1.25 Dry Mops at only, each ..... 47c
- 1 lot Common Mops and Handles, regular value 35c, our special, each ..... 19c
- 1 lot of 75c value heavy Mops and Handles at, each ..... 39c
- 1 lot of Scrub Brushes and Handles, regular values 30c, our special at, complete ..... 11c
- 1 lot of Dustless Dusting Mittens, regular value 50c; our special at, each ..... 33c
- 1 lot of Mop Handles, 10c values, at, each ..... 6c (Buy a dozen and keep them for future use.)
- 1 lot of Dustless Dust Cloths, the kind you are paying 25c for, at ..... 5 for 25c
- 1 lot of Dust Cloths, 10c values, 6c each ..... 5 for 25c
- 1 lot of Feather Dusters, regular values \$1.88 and \$2.25, at only, each ..... \$1.19
- 1 lot of 40c and 45c Dusters at, each ..... 19c
- 1 window full of 10c Kitchen Goods at 6c each, or ..... 5 for 25c

THE C. N. KENYON & CO. STORE  
**W. H. Westcott, Manager**  
Orders taken for matching all Dinner Sets

## Failure to Buy Christmas Gifts Early Means Disappointment to Others

Surely you do not want to disappoint any of your friends or relatives in the giving of Christmas gifts, but if you delay in buying too long you are liable to disappoint them. Heed our word of good advice, come and see our Christmas gifts. Make selections. Make your purchases early. You can reserve any gift in our stock, and we will hold it subject to your order, and deliver it anywhere you say, just when you say.

Any gift held subject to order if you select now  
Any gift delivered anywhere just when you say

**Drown's Drug Store**  
48 NORTH MAIN STREET

## TALK OF THE TOWN

Tea aprons 10c at Knight's, Friday and Saturday bargains at the Vaughan Store.  
Trimmed and untrimmed hats at half price. Mrs. C. R. Wood.  
Cottage prayer meeting at Gilbert Nelson's, 41 Branch street, to-night at 7:30.  
Among the visitors in the city yesterday and to-day were the following people: George E. Deland of Worcester, Mass., president of the United Commercial Travelers of New England, who was a guest at Hotel Barre; C. C. Abbott of Waterbury, Miss Florence Upham of Rockford, Ill., Gordon A. Smith of South Ryegate, Mrs. O. M. Jones of Warren, Alexander T. Boston, a South Ryegate granite manufacturer, A. E. Pray of Warren, H. E. Emmons of Brunswick, Me., E. B. Bailey of Burlington, George W. Nathan of New London, Conn., L. B. Reilly of Burlington, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Howard of Wallingford, A. H. Swift of New Bedford, Mass., J. E. Clarke of Ogdensburg, N. Y., C. P. Wood of Amsterdam, N. Y., E. B. Hagar of Seneca Falls, N. Y., S. S. Marshall of Burlington, A. J. Manning of Lowell, Mass., and C. A. Booth of Essex Junction.

Fred Simon, lately a corporal in the 18th United States infantry, arrived in the city yesterday from Bisbee, Ariz., for an extended stay with his brother, Frank J. Simon, of 46 Maple avenue. Mr. Simon, who is a native of Finland, although he spent most of his boyhood in America and obtained his education here, is a trombone player, and during several years of army life he was a member of the regimental band. Recently he received an honorable discharge from the army and came north, after a variety of thrilling experiences, along the Mexican border. For some time a detachment of the 18th was posted at Naco, Ariz., where there were several brushes with Mexican outlaws. Mr. Simon was a member of a detail assigned to advanced duty when the Mexicans were ordered back from the boundary line a distance of 10 miles. He is a granite cutter by trade and has entered the employ of the New Barre Granite company in Burnham's meadow with the intention of serving four months necessary to qualify him as a journeyman.

## SATURDAY

Blue Label, Burt Onley's or  
Van Camp's Catsup, per  
bottle, 18c

Horse Radish, per bottle ..... 10c  
Snider's Chili Sauce, per bottle ..... 15c and 25c  
Bulk Olives, per quart ..... 35c  
Pop Corn, 6 lbs. for ..... 25c  
Oranges, doz. ..... 35c, 40c, 45c  
Grapefruit ..... 3 for 25c  
3 loaves of Bread for ..... 25c  
Drake's Cakes, 7 varieties, each ..... 10c

## MEAT DEPARTMENT

Venison on Sale Saturday  
Fresh-killed Chickens, per lb. .... 25c  
Legs of Lamb, per lb. .... 24c  
Lamb Roast, per lb. .... 30c  
Pork Roast, per lb. .... 17c  
Pork Sausage, per lb. .... 15c  
Beef Sausage, a lbs. for ..... 25c  
Pie Pumpkins, each ..... 8c and 10c  
Spinach, per peck ..... 35c  
Lettuce, per bunch ..... 10c  
Boston Celery, per bunch ..... 18c  
Finnan Haddies and Oysters

**Houghton & Robins**  
Phone 258

## Week-end Specials

### Candy

Any 40c Grade of Candy  
for 35c per lb.

American Mixture, 2 lbs. 25c  
OUR BOX CANDY IS THE BEST YOU  
EVER TASTED, AND THE  
PRICE IS LOW

### Delicious Fruit

GRAPEFRUIT  
5c EACH—4c EACH—14c EACH  
FLORIDA ORANGES  
SWEET AND JUICY  
16 FOR 25c UP TO 40c DOZEN  
BANANAS  
25 FOR 25c—40 FOR 25c—25c DOZEN  
PINEAPPLES  
TWO FOR 25c  
GRAPES  
MALAGAS, TOKAYS ..... 2 lbs. for 25c

Fresh Roasted Peanuts  
THREE QUARTS FOR 25c  
FIGS, DATES AND NUTS  
AT LOW PRICES

**United Fruit Store**  
GEORGE MANIATTY, Proprietor  
TEL. 240

## Fresh Fish

Groceries  
Meat  
Vegetables  
Fruit  
Poultry  
Bread  
Pastry  
Union Store

**Granite City  
General Store**  
1-15 Granite St. Telephone 131

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# Only Three Weeks More to Christmas!

The next few weeks will be very busy ones for all, and we will strive to do all we can to help you in making your selections. If it is a Coat, Suit, Separate Skirt, Waists or Furs, we can surely give you some good values and a large assortment of the season's best models to select from. We were able to pick out from our Fur Sale this week some extra good things in Furs, such as Muffs and Scarfs, that we consider extra good values. A nice Fur Set or Separate Muff makes an ideal present and is a something that every lady appreciates and enjoys. We have also just received a large line of the Children's Fur Sets in all the popular Furs.

### Ladies' Separate Coats

We are now showing some very good things in Ladies' Separate Coats. This has been a very large Coat season. Never were we able to show in one season so large a variety of Coats in models that were rivals of each other. We have put a lot of time and study into this line and know we are showing Coat models that are the season's best as to style and quality.

We have gone through our stock and picked out all odd garments and Coats that we cannot duplicate and put them on one rack at prices that will appeal to any who want a good serviceable garment.

At \$7.98 are good Coat values consisting of Chinchillas, Mixtures and plain cloths. These are regular \$10.00 to \$12.50 values.

At \$9.98 are Coats in qualities that were made to sell at from \$12.50 to \$15.00 and were good values. Are Coats where the clothes are closed and we cannot duplicate them.

At \$15.00 is a lot of Coat values in Coats that were among our best models. Coats that sold at from \$18.00 to \$22.50. Many of these are the Wooltex models. The qualities and styles are the best.



### Ladies' Silk and Cotton Waists

We have just received some extra good Silk Waist values for our Christmas sale. These are Silk, Linen and Muslin Waists in styles and qualities that are new.

At \$2.00 we have a new Waist value that is made from a fine quality Tub Silk and is made with the high-low collar. Silk is a white ground with colored stripes.

At \$1.25 is a fine White Jap Silk Waist, made in one of the season's best styles and from a good weight Silk.

At \$2.50 we have an extra good Crepe de Chine Waist. This Waist is made in a number of the season's best styles. Some have the dainty hand-embroidered fronts; has the high-low collar with adjustable bottom.

At \$2.00 is an extra good White Linen Waist. Is made in the season's best style and from a good weight Linen.

In the fine Muslin Waists, we have some new Christmas values.

In the fine Crepe Waists, we have a large assortment of Waists in qualities from \$2.50 to \$7.75. See our Hand Embroidered Crepe Waists.

### Ladies' Tailored Suits

This is surely extra good Suit weather, and the values we are now putting out seem to appeal to those who want a good Suit value.

We have one rack of odd Suits that are the season's best and newest models, that we are closing at much less than the regular price.

At \$10.00 are a few odd Suits in the season's best styles; are made in a good all-wool Serge.

At \$12.50 is a large variety of odd Suits that are our season's best models. Are made in Poplins, Serges, Gabardines, Mixtures. Are Suits that sold at \$15.00, \$16.50 and \$18.00, and were extra good values. These are on one rack to close at \$12.50.

In the better grade Suits, we have a large variety of the season's best models—Suits that are made from a variety of the season's best cloths, in Blues, Browns, Greens and Mixtures. These we are cleaning up at much under the regular price. In these Suits are models that have a good weight flannel interlining.

WHAT COULD YOU THINK OF BETTER THAN A

## Good Fur to Give a Lady for Christmas?

Our line is now complete with all the season's best serviceable Furs. We were able to pick out from a line of samples this week some extra good values in Fur Sets and Separate Muffs. We have some extra value in fine Black Lynx, Fox, Marten, Mink, Raccoon and Opossum. Our line of Children's Fur Sets is now ready for your inspection, and here you will find a good assortment of the season's best values.



## The Daylight Store

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Emerson and other makes of shoes, formerly \$4.50 per pair, now only \$3.95 during the sale. Lamorey's—adv.

A set of automobile chains found on South Main street yesterday may be claimed at police headquarters by paying for this notice.

Despite poor weather conditions, the third annual fair of the Cobble Hill grange opened auspiciously last night and the continuation to-night promises to mark the affair as a distinct success from all standpoints. The attendance on the opening night was very good, there being 200 people present. They found an attractive array of articles for sale at the various booths and they became prompt purchasers. During the evening an excellent program was rendered and another program will be given this evening. All goods remaining unsold at the booths will be disposed of at auction later this evening.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Special coat values at Abbott's. Don't forget the boy scout farce, "A Strenuous Afternoon," to be given at the Congregational church Friday evening at 7:30—adv.

Through his attorney, E. L. Scott, Paul Kingston reversed his original plea to a charge of selling shortweight potatoes by pleading guilty and arranging to pay a \$5 fine and costs aggregating \$6.05. The respondent was arrested by Chief Sinclair Tuesday on a complaint made to Grand Juror William Wainart, it being alleged that he sold 265 pounds of potatoes for six bushels to J. S. Murley of Summer street. Officer John W. Dineen got a call to South Main street last evening and returned to police headquarters with Arthur St. John, who was locked up on an intoxication charge. St. John was unable to appear before the magistrate this forenoon and his case was set for later in the day.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

See those black petticoats on sale 40c at Vaughan's.

Notice! All kinds of stove repairs at E. A. Prindle & Co., Pearl street.

O. H. Hale will conduct an auction sale at Montpelier Saturday at 1 p. m. The usual Saturday afternoon sale at the City Auction Market will be omitted. Sale at 7 p. m.

Special communication of Granite lodge, No. 35, F. and A. M., this evening at 7:30. Lodge of instruction. E. M. White, W. M.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Mothers, step in and see our boys' overcoats. The prices are cut for your benefit. Lamorey's—adv.

Saturday specials at the New England Fruit Store: Chocolate almonds, 25c per lb.; haystacks, 15c per lb.; chop-suey, 15c per lb. Our home-made candies fresh for your delectation every day.

A regular meeting of Green Mountain council, No. 736, R. A., will be held on Friday, Dec. 3, at 7:30 p. m. in K. of P. hall. Nomination and election of officers. A large attendance is desired.

## Did You Know?

that you could buy at Ladd's

Fancy April Storage Eggs, guaranteed, per doz. 30c  
Strictly fresh nearby hennery Eggs, per dozen 48c  
3 lbs. of 13c Prunes for ..... 25c  
4 lbs. of 10c Prunes for ..... 25c  
4 lbs. of Evaporated Peaches for ..... 25c  
Seedless Raisins in bulk, per lb. .... 10c  
Currants in pound packages, each ..... 10c

### BAKERY DEPARTMENT

Try the new Sunkist Raisin Bread, per loaf ..... 10c  
Baked Beans for Saturday; also Brown Bread.  
Ladd's Cream Bread, 3 loaves for ..... 25c  
Quality Cakes, six flavors, only ..... 10c  
Don't forget our Cream Sponge Cakes, each ..... 10c

### MEAT DEPARTMENT

Pig's Liver, per lb. .... 7c  
Honeycomb Tripe, per lb. .... 8c  
3 lbs. of Pickled Pigs' Feet for ..... 25c  
Pork Chops, only native pigs, per lb. .... 16c to 20c  
Lamb Chops from native lambs, per lb. .... 22c to 30c  
Smoked Shoulders, whole, 13c; boned, per lb. .... 15c

### FRESH FISH

Oysters, two sizes, per pint ..... 18c and 25c  
Lobsters, Clams for steaming, and plenty of our Fancy Finnan Haddies.

**The F. D. Ladd Company**

## GOOD NEWS

### Meats Are Lower—Remember Where

Hamburg Steak, 2 lbs. .... 25c  
Round Steak, lb. .... 23c  
Vein Steak, lb. .... 26c  
Beef Sausage, 2 lbs. .... 25c  
Whole Hams, per lb. .... 20c (Green Mountain Brand, whole.)

Boneless Smoked Shoulders, per lb. .... 16c  
Native Pig Pork Roasts, per lb. .... 15c to 22c  
Whole Pork Loins, lb. .... 18c  
Pork Sausage, lb. .... 15c (Green Mountain Brand.)

SPECIAL—Fruit Bread Saturday, per loaf ..... 10c  
Cakes, Pies, Cookies, Doughnuts, etc.

SILVER LEAF AND PENNANT FLOUR  
\$6.50 per barrel, 2 barrels for \$12.75

It is going fast. Better order a barrel now.  
Brown's Quick-Fire Charcoal, 2 bags for ..... 25c  
Lenox Oil, per gallon ..... 12c, 5 gallons for 55c  
Less 5 per cent. for cash at our store. Special price by the barrel.

**The Smith & Cumings Co.**

### FISH DEPARTMENT

A box of Oysterettes free with every quart of Oysters. Clams for steaming. Endless varieties of Fresh Water and Salt Water Fish.